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Hongkong, February 4, 1893. HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

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31 PER CENT, per annum. Depositors tures will be a first charge on the property may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on secured by a First Mortgage of all the PIXED DEPOSIT at 5 PER CENT. per

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, T. JACKSON. Ohief Manager. Hongkong, May 15, 1893.

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Hongkong, March 1, 1894. THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, ... £2,000,000. CAPITAL CALLED UP,.... 1 251,093.15.0.

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change business transacted. CHANTREY INCHBALD. Manager. Hongkong, November 6, 1893.

晚十三月三年四十九百八千一英

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, TIMITED.

Intimations.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1893. CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a Last of their Contributions. for the year ending 31st December, 1893. in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st DAY OF MARCH INSTANT, will be adjusted by the Office. and no Claims or Alterations will be subse-

quently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE ÚFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, March 1, 1894.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. SATURDAY, MARCH 31st, 1894,

AT 2.45 P.M. COMPETITION - 'MARTINI' CUP U and SPOONS. Ranges, 200, 500 and aud 600 yards. Five Shots at cach distance. Entrance Fee, 80 Cents.

ARTHUR CHAPMAN. Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, March 27, 1894

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MIN-ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

with and NOTIOE. CHAREHOLDERS are Reminded that the CALL of 50 CENTS per SHARE, as set forth in the Prospectus, falls DUE on the Slar MARCH, and should be PAID to the Undersigned, at No. 9, Praya Central, to whom the Scrip should be sent for

endorsement. W. HUTTON POTTS,

Hongkong, March 24, 1894. be had on application to the above Address, against the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank's Allotment Receipt.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF SHANGHAI & HONGKEW NAGASAKI AND

WHARF COMPANY. ISSUE OF TABLE 400,000 6 PER CENT. DEBENTURE.

Directors: A. McLEOD, Esq. E. A. PROBST, Esq.

> General Agents : JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

THE Directors of the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company are prepared to receive applications for Tla. 400,000, 6 per cent. Debentures terminable in 10 years from the 31st day of March. 1894, but redeemable at the option of the THE business of the above Bank is con- Company in five years from that day, or at ducted by the HONGKONG AND any time thereafter, on giving six months' the Company's Bankers and other outstandings, and for the carrying on of the INTEREST on deposits is allowed at business of the Company. The Debenof the Company for the time being, as a floating security, and will rank among themselves pari passu. They will be Company's property to Messrs G. James Morrison and Charles Dowdall as Trustees

for the Debenture Holders. The Debentures will be issued at par in sums of Taels 1,000, Taels 500, and Taels 100 each in such proportions as may suit the convenience of applicants, making up the total of Taels 400,000. They will bear nterest at the rate of Six per cent. per annum, payable by Warrants. Interest will be paid first on the 30th June next,

and thereafter half-yearly. A Deposit of ten per cent. on the aggregate amount of the Debentures applied for must be paid to the Company's Bankers on application and the balance will be payable on aflotment.

No interest will be allowed on deposits. Bankers' receipts, to be retained by the applicant, will be issued for the amount of

In case a less number of Debentures is allotted than is applied for, the excess of the Deposit will be applied in or towards allotment is made, the Deposit will be returned. Failure to pay the balance when cellation and the Deposit to forfeiture. Applications, on forms to be obtained from the General Agents in Shanghai or Banking Corporation at Shanghai, accompanied by a Deposit of ton per cent. upon the amount of the Debentures applied for.

Applications received up to 31st March, 1894, will be dealt with on that day, and should any Debentures remain, subsequent allotments will be mude and carry Interest from date of issue. The form of Debentures can be seen at the office of the General Agents or at the

office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. By Order of the Board of Directors, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Shanghai, 14th March, 1894.

NOTICE. THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are Reminded that the THIRD INSTALMENT of CALL. amounting to b/-per SHARBON the Ordinary Shares of the Bank, is DUE on the 2mb APRIL, 1894, and is PAYABLE at the OFFICE of the Bank, No. 4, Queen's Road. either by Demand Draft on London or in

CHANTREY INCHBALD. Manager, Hongkong, Merch 19, 1894.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Business Notices.

SHIP'S STORES. Wines, Spirits, Stout, Ale, Liqueurs.

THEACHER'S HIGHLAND CREAM' WHISKY. NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S HIGHLAND WHISKY.

ADET SEWARD & CO.'S BORDEAUX WINES. SACCONE'S SHERRIES. HENRY THOMSON & Co.'s and Jameson's IRISH WHISKIES.

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CIGARS AND TOBACCOS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

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Hongkong, February 26, 1894.

Managing Partner. Hongkong, March 19, 1894.

J. P. COTTAM.

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DOLLAR Shares is NOW READY, and may WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES

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KOBE Gwaller About 7th April. STRAITS, COL'BO AND; BOMBAY ... Thibet About 7th April Freight. SHANGHAI......Surat......About 8th April......Froight or Passage. LONDON, &cRohillaNoon, 12th April See Special Advertisement. Freight or Passage (calling at MARSEILLES, if sufficient LONDON Aden About 12th April

JAPAN.....Ancona......Daylight, 14th April...Freight or Passage. For further Particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

inducement offers).

Hongkong, March 30, 1894.

EX STEAMSHIP GLENAVON. ATEW STOCK OF

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SUMMER STRAW HATS.

FLOWERS, FEATHERS, TRIMMED MILLINERY, &c., &c. W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 19, 1894.

HONGKONG AND TH

62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, November 11, 1893.

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R. TUCKER, Manager. Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

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Hongkong, October 3, 1893. NGAI BHANG,

20, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL DATTAN FURNITURE of Every Description

CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &C., &C. Latest Patterns, Best Workmanship. Rattan Core, Split Rattan, Canton Reed and Sundries of all kinds, Hongkong, November 17, 1893.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

N Emergency MEETING of the above A LODGE will be held in the FREE-M.SONS' HALL, Zutland Street, on WED. NESDAY, the 4th April, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, March 29, 1891.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP CARDIGANSHIRE, FROM NEW YORK & SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONORONG & KOWLOON WHARP & GODOWN COMPANY, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th April will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 4th April, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and demaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

No Fire Inaurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DUDWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkorg, Marc's 28, 1894.

will be examined on the 4th April, at 8 p. va.

TO LET.

TO. 2. PEDDER'S STREET, next to the Post Office. No. 72, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL

13, Praya Central.

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1845.

Notices to Consignees.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP VICTORIA.

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO

HAMA AND KOBE.

TIHE above Steamer having arrived, Con-

to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-

signature, and take immediate delivery of

Cargo impeding the discharge of the

Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP DRYFESDALE,

STRAITS.

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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Gerda, Captain J. EHLERS,

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

STEAMSHIP SALAZIE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

tained immediately after landing.

the Undersigned.

will not be recognised.

before 11 a.m. To-MORROW (Friday), the

subject to rent, and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or

before THURSDAY, the 29th Instant, or they

All Damaged Packages will be examined

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

on Thursday, the 29th Instant, at 3 p.m.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, March 22, 1894.

Hongkong, March 26, 1894.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.;

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, March 28, 1894.

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will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

April will be subject to rent.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

their Goods from alongside.

signees' risk and expense.

Hongkong, March 29, 1894.

signess of Cargo are hereby requested

NIOS. 1, 5 and 7. SEYMOUR TERRACE The GROUND FLOOR of the Premises now in course of erection at the corner of ICE HOUSE STREET and QUEEN'S ROAD CEN-TRAL, suitable for OFFICES or SHUPS. The Floor can be divided into separate Suites of Offices if necessary, to suit intend-

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A Large and Dry GODOWN suitable for the STORAGE of OPIUM, COTTON, &c., of about 2000 Tone (Gross) capacity, also TO BE LEC under the above Premises. OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS. OFFICE in No. 4, PRAYA CENTRAL.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, March 17, 1894.

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TIWO Small GODOWNS at WANCHAL, one of them facing Prays East. THE CASTLE, CASTLE ROAD (eight FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND Front of FIRST FLOOR of No. 10,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Buitable for Offices or Residence; And a large GODOWN on Kowloon PRAYA, suitable for Storage of Coal, Timber or General Cargo.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Wharves delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless
Notice to the contrary be given before Noon Hongkong, March 16, 1894.

TO LET.

WELLING HOUSES-'BAHAR LODGE,' at the PRAK. HIGHCLEBE, at MAGAZINE GAP. No. 8, CHANGERY LANE. No. 2, RIPOR TERRACE. FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS. FLOORS in Bigin STREET, PREL STREET and STACKTON STREET. FLOORS in No. 5, SHELLEY

STREET. Nos. 2 and 3, VICTORIA VIEW Kowloon. No. 4. KNUTSPORD TERBACE, KOW-OFFICES-FIRST FLOOR No. 4, Queen's

Road Central, over the BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN & STRAITS, LAD. PRATA CENTRAL, DVSF MOSSIS. having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to GODOWNS BLUE BUILDINGS. send in their Bills of Lading for counter-

signature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENOY Co., LTD. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hong-Hopgkong, March 16, 1894 TAVIN 18

KONG& KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., LD., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Shipping. Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd April Steamers

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, are to be left in the Godowns, where they will LIMITED. be examined on the 2nd April, at 4 p.m. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. -SIEMSSEN & Co., The Steamship Sungkiany.

Captain Donn, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 2nd Proximo, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hougkong, March 29, 1894. CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND and Havre ex Steamship Cambodge

and from Bordeaux ex Steamships Fills CALOUTTA. de Marseilles and Cambrai, in connec-The Steamship tion with the above Steamer, are Catherine Apear,
Captain J. G. OLIVENT,
will be despatched for hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 3rd at their risk at the Hongkong & Kow-Proximo, at Noon. LOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY'S, For Freight or Passage, apply to at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees Hongkong, March 27, 1894. 23rd Inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA Goods remaining unclaimed after THUES-DAY, the 19th Instant, at Noon, will be AND KOBE.

The Steamship Capt. Scortand, will be despatched as above on For Freight or Passage, apply to

Pathan,
Captain Warent, will be
despatched for the above Port on or about the 4th Proximo. To be followed by the Steamship Port Phillip

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, March 24, 1894

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, BUEZ, PORT BAID. MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN). and GENOA; all MEDITERBANKAN, ADRESTO, LEVANTING and BOUTH AMERI-CAN PORTS, up to Cartao. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF

The Steamship

Bisagna,

K. Tognasso, Master, will
be despatched as above on THUREDAY, the 6th April, at Noon, For further Particulare regarding Freight

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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL VIA AMOY.

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for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-QHWANG, THENTSING HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co. a Steamahip

Polypherits

Captain Soals, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 31st Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 30, 1894

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship

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Dapt. Stewart, will be

despetched as above at

10 a.m., To-MORROW, the 31st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply toed dir. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 30, 1894 of the 521 FOR SHANGHAL The Stdemahip of the St

Port TO-MORROW, the 31st Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to STEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, March 30, 1894. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Myrmidon,
Captain Nelson, will be
despatched as above on

SATURDAY, the Sist Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, March 24, 1894. THE OHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF GALL. The Co, a Steamship

W. N. SHAW, Commider, will be despatched as above on or about the 30th Instant. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, March 21, 1894

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement offers). ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON,

LIVERPOOL AND BREMEN. The Steamship Captain F. Faces, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 3rd April at 4 p.m.
This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers, and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

STEMSSEN & Co.: in The Agents and Treat Hongkong, March 26, 1894 Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK The 3/8 I.I.I. Amer. Barque McCLURE, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, March 17, 1894. Intimations.

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early in May. For Freight or Passage, apply to

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

and BAGDAD.

At Bower the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOOK.

and Passage, apply to

Hougkong, March 19, 18:4.

G. C. ANDERSON.

the Undersigned.

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Admission \$1.00—Children half price. Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. KELLY and WALSH, Mosses. LANE, CRAW-FORD & Co., and Messrs. W. POWELL & Co., Hongkong, March 30, 1894. Mails. Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENCERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Wesday, April 4, at daylight. Wingsday, April 25, at daylight. Belgic (via Nagazaki, Kobs. Inland Saa THURSDAY, May 24, THE Steamship OCEANIO will be MA NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA. On WEDNESDAY, the 4th April, at Daylight, connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes may be obtained upon application. to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to Karopsan officials in service of Ohina and Japan, and to Government officials and Passengers who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice verse) within one year, wil be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

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United States Points.

day previous to sailing."

Hongkong, March 20, 1884.

Freight, apply to

Consular Invoices of Goods for United

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Mails. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURO PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS; LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SUUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA. N MONDAY, the 2nd day of April 1894, at 3 p.m. the Company's Steamship KARLSRUHE, Capt, KESSLER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SI EOIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above, calling at NAPLES and GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till At the conclusion of the game the Band Noon, on SATURDAY, the 31st March, dill play. Cargo and Specie will be received on board until Noon on Monday, the 2nd April, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office) until Moon on SUNDAY. the 1st April. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed at less than \$2, and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in measure-The Steamer has apiendid Accommo in . 1 azid carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Linen can be washed on board. For further Particulars, apply to MELOHERS & Co., Hongkong, March 10, 1894. Intimations. MACGREGOR ALDBECK. Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, August 18, 1891. TORIVATE BOARD and RESIDENCE for Ladies and Gentlemen. Special attention to Ladies' comfort. 'Accommodstion for Table Boarders. Central situation. MRS. MATHER, 2 and 3 Peddar's Hill. Hongkong, July 24, 1893. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE. TRURNISHED ROOMS, with BOARD. Also Table Accommodation Apply to MRS. GILLANDERS. 12, GLENEALY BUILDINGS, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, November 21, 1893. 2008 despetched for SAN FRANCISCO. To-day's Advertisements. VICTORIA PRIORY. cordially inverse to attend. Hongkong, March 30, 1894. TO LET. TERBACE, Robinson Road. No. 15, Queen's Road. lugen's Road. HOUSE, No. 21, SHELLEY STREET.

Regular MEETING of the Vic-TORIA PRIORY will be held on THURSDAY, the 5th April, at 8.30 for of dist for NURSING MOTHERS as it Had strong N.E. winds and high sea up till Mr Fred. W. Carey 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHEEN are

TOUSES, Nos. 8 and 26, BELILIOS

OFFICE FIRST FLOOR, Marine House, ROOMS in BRAUONSFIELD ABUADE.

HOUSE, No. 5, BONHAM ROAD (Priory HOUSE, No. 6, ICE HOUSE STEEZT, lately

GODOWNS in DODDELL STREET. Apply to BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, March 30, 1894.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above 501 Ports on SUNDAY, the lat April, at

For Fraight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 30, 1894. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, VIA

SHANGHAL The Co,'s Steamship

Hiroshima Maru, Capt. J. B. MACMILLAN, will be despatched as

PANTON, B.N.B., sailing at Noon, on above on TUESDAY, the 3rd April, at TUESDAY, the 10th April, will proceed Noon to VIOTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA vid For Freight or Passage, apply to INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKO. For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. "Hougkong, March 30, 1894. 587

SHELL IANE. FOR LONDON, BREMEN AND HAMBURG.

The Steamship Capt. N. Hogram, will be despatched for the shove Ports on or about the 5th April. For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Cd.,

Agenta. Hougkong, Mars 30, 1894.

To-day's Advertisements. CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT 7 PER CENT. SILVER LOAN. OF 1886, B.

15th HALF-YEARLY DRAWING THTEREST DUE and DRAWN BOND of this LOAN will be PAYABLE the OFFICES of the CORPORATION on and after the 31st March, 1894. LISTS OF DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned. For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAY BANKING CORPORATION.

Agents Issuing the Loan. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager Hongkong, March 30, 1894.

ARS. WODEHOUSE hopes to MEMBERS and their FRIENDS at her House, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, 6th April, when the NREDLEWORK will be on View and for Sale.

Hongkong, March 30, 1894.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF C. E.

STICAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA-VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTIN-ENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS. 1111K Steamship ROHILLA, Captain W.

J. NANTES, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the 12th April, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Purts. (This Chinese. Steamer connects at Bombay with the S.S. HIMALAYA, which Vessel takes on her Cargo for LONDON, vid SUEZ CANAL, leaving that port on the 5th MAY, 1894).

Hilk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a 1612 steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed vid Bombay.

Parcela will be received at this Office antil 4 n. m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading. For further Particulars, apply to

H. H. JOSEPH,

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 30, 1894

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ARRIVAL S March 29 :--Mathilde, German steamer, 800, P. Moos. Newchwang March 23. Beans and General. -SIEMBSEN & Co. Hongkong, French steamer, 937, C.

Bastian, Haiphong March 27, General -A. R. MARTY. Phra Chom Klao, British steamer, 1,020, J. Fowler, Bangkok March 22, Rice.—YUEN FAT HONG. March 30:-Shantung, British steamer, 1,535, Framp-

FIELD & SWIRE. Hiroshima Maru, Japanese str., 2,031. B. MacMillan, Bombay and Singapore Mar. 23, General Nippon Yuses Kaisha. Amoy, German steamer, 663, W. Wulff. Newchwang March 23, Beans and General. -ED. SCHELLHASS & Co. Progress, German str., 687, J. Jessen Newchwang March 23, Beans, - SILMSSEN

Fokien, Britishsteamer, 509, W. J. Davis Tamaui March 25, Amoy 27, and Swatow 29. General - Douglas STRAMSBITE Co. Sungkiang, British steamer, 994, C. B. N. Dodd, Manila March 27, General, - Bur-TREFIELD & SWILE Pushun, Chinese steamer, 1,460, H. A. Lunt, Shanghai March 27, General. - 0. Severa, British croiser, 4,050, Captain

Reginald F. H. Henderson, Saigon March Tooman, Chinese steamer, from Canton. Glenfalloch, British str., from Canton.

Vessels Advertised as Loading. Agents. Date of Leavin Vessels. Destinatio . Bremen & Ports of Call Karlsruhe (s)..... . Norddeutscher Lloyd. April 2, at 3 p.m. P. & O. S. N. Co ... April 14, daylight. Japan Ancons (a)..... Kobé and Yokohama. Dryfeedale (6)..... ... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. March 31, at 10 a.m. London, v. Suez Canar Myrmidon (s)...... London, v. Ports of Call Capia (s)...... ... Butterfield & Swire ... March 31, at 4 p.m. ... Arnhold Karberg&Co. About March 30. London, &c...... Spoudilus (s) Shewan & Co........ About April 5. London Aden (a) P. & O. S. N. Co. About April 12.

Manils, via Amoy. Sungkiang (a) Butterfield & Swire. April 2, at 4 p.ms.

Marsoilles, v. Saigus Caledonien (a) Messageries Maritimes April 4, at noon.

Nagasaki and Kobe. Gwalior (a) P. & O. S. N. Co. About April 7. ... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About April 4. New York v. Suez Canal Pathan (a) Shanghai, via Amoy. Polyphemus (a) Butterfield & Swire. March 31, daylight. Shanghai, Kobé & Y'ma Hiroshima Manu (s)... vippon Ynsen Kaisha. April 3, at noon. Shanghai, Y'ma & Kobe Ghazee (s)...... Siemssen & Co...... About April 4. S'pore, Havre & H'bur Bellona (s) Siemssen & Co..... April 3, at 4 p.m. S'pore, P'naug & B'bay Bisagno (s).......... Carlowitz & Co. April 5, at noon. S'pore, Penang & C'tta Catherine Apear (s).... D. Sastoon, Sons & Co. April 3, at noon. Swatow, Amoy & T'sui Fokien (s)...... Douglas Lapraik & Oo. April 1, daylight. Vancouver (B.C.). & Empress of China (s). Uanadian Pice R. Co. | ipril 11, at noon, Victoria (B.C.), &c.... Victoria (s)......................... Nor. P'fic S. & R. Cos. April 10, at noon.

DEPARTURES. March 30 :--Taisang, for Canton. *Gerga*, for Yokonama, Freir, for Holhow. Hailoony, for Swatow. Mathilde, for Canton, Amoy, for Canton. Progress, for Canton. Verona, for Yokohama. CHRAUKTE Polyphemus, for Amoy. Port Phillip, for Kobe.

Peiyang, for Shanghai. Macduff, for Saigon. Pakshan, for Hothow. Dryfesdale, for Kobe. peans, and 40 Chinese.

Per Hongkong, from Haiphong, 10 Euro-Per Phra Chom Klao, from Bangkok, 22. Per Hiroshima Maru, from Bombay, &c., 7 Parsees in cabin, 238 Japaness and Ohi-Per Fokier, from Coast Porte, Mr and Mrs Butler, and 142 Chinese. Per Sungkiang, from Manila, 26 Chinese.

For Erejr. for Hoihow, 130 Chinese. Per Hailoong, for Swatow, 3 Europeans, and 250 Chinese. To DEPART. Per Poluphemus, for Amoy, 2 Europeane, Mr R. Lyall

Per Fusium, from Shanghai, 145 Chinese.

and 150 Chinese. Per Pelyang, for Shanghai, 1 European, Mr J. McWilliams and 9 Chinese. Per Macduff, for Saigon, 12 Chinese. Per Pakshan, for Hoihow, 59 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

The German steamer Mathids reports : The British steamer Phra Chom Klao re- Mr H. E. Boxsball ports: Had light winds and fine weather Mr and Mrs D. E. Mr H. F. Meverick throughout. The Japanese steemer Hiroshima Maru Experienced fine weather in Mr J. G. T. Buckle Mrs Poste China Sea, to 15° North, and fresh monsoon Dr and Mrs Cantlle Mr James Rankin up to arrival.

The German steamer Amoy reports : Cohen Had light variable winds and fine weather : Mr. J. B. Coughtrie Lieut. - Commander dense fog in the entrance of Formosa Strait, Captain Fawkes, R.N. Tuffnell, R.N. strong Southerly tide. The British steamer Fokien reports: Mr. T. E. Griffith Mr. J. Y. V. Vernon Left TamsuF 25th March, Amoy 27th, and Miss O. G. Hogg Swatow 29th ; from Tameui, moderate N.E. wind and fine ; from Amoy calm and light variable Easterly wind, and fine but hazy; Miss Barry from Swatow, calm and light Southerly Mr G. C. Bowman wiod, and hezy weather first part of pas- Mrs Brian

The British steamer Sungkiang reports : | Capt. Buchanan noon, on the 29th; afterwards, moderate Mr Geoge Caulton The Chinese stesmer Fushun reports: Mr H. Delmar Had light variable winds and smooth sea Mr C.-H. Dodd throughout, and fine clear weather. The British croiser Severy reports : Mr Durant

Had fine weather. EXPORT CARGOES. Per s. s. Gienesk, sailed 28th March :-For London, 380 half-chests Tea, 30 casks Soy and 5 boxes Sundries. Per s. s. Assam, sailed 29th March :- For London, 547 chests Tea from Foochow, 428 bales Weste Silk, 10 cases Bristles, 2 cases Silk Piece Goods, 2 cases Sundries, 1,178 boxes Tea, containing 24,738 lbs. Congou. For France, 707 bales Raw Silk

and I case Silk Piece Goods. POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:-

For SHANGHAL .--Per Peiyang, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 31st inst. For SINGAPORE & LONDON .-Per Canfa, at 4.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 31st inst. For NAGASAKI .-Per Normandie, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 31st inst. For HOIHOW & PAKHOL-Per Alwine, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 31st inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL -Per Fokien, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the Blat inst. For HOIHOW & BANGKOK,-Per Kong Beng, at 8.30 a.m., on Sunday, 1 ton, Sourabaya March 18, Sugar. — BUTTERthe 1st April. For AMOY & MANILA.

Per Sungkiang, at 3.80 p.m., on Monday, the and April. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .--Per Catherine Apoar, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 3rd April. For SINGAPORE. Per Bellona, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday the 3rd April. For STRAITS & BOMBAY.— Per Bisagno, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday,

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET,-The United States Mail Packet Oceanic will Direction of be despatched on TURSDAY, the 3rd April, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Weather Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows ;-45 P.M. Hegistry ocases. 00 F.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Res of 10 cents extra

Postage until the time of departure.

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Hongkong, March 30, 1894. Bank, Wire, ... On demand. 30 days' sight, 4 months sight, Documentary, 4 months sight, On Paris— On demand: Oredits, 4 months' sight, ... 2,67 Ju Berlin—Demand, ... 2.02 Un New York-On demand. Orodits, 60 days' sight, n Bombay-Wire, 1721 On demand, 11731 On demand. ... 72 Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per taol) 451.75 Sovereigns (Hank's buying rate) \$ 9.80

Silver (per oz.) 27 4d. Previous On date at On date at dayatap.m. 10 a.m. 4 p.m. 30.01 30.09 30.09 .68 / 60 .66 / 71 Wind

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Per doz.

B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule 10.80 O Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry. White Capsule ... 12.00 O C Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry Red

D Very Superior Old Pale Dry choice old wine. White Seal Capsule 14.40 E Extra Superior Old Pale

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A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red B Superior Very Old Cognac, O Very Old Liqueur Cognac. 20.40 D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule. ... 36,00

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Bland, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark, 10.80 C Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet. Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark 12.00 D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule 14.40 E Watson's Very Old Liqueur. Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-

sulg 15:00 in the market. We recommend our cost pel the clouds have been made in Intomers not to be deterred by the lowness die. The fact that these experiments of price from trying them all. For a soda whisky. Thorne's Blend and Watson's have been only partially successful need Glenorchy are squal to any. Abelour. not deter our local scientists from mak-Glenlivet is a very old Peat Whisly, that ing an attempt to help us with our water could not be replaced in stock at the price. | supply. The Observatory staff might Dand E are too well known to need com- think it enfre dig. to engage in

A John Jameson's Old Green Capsule 12.00 B John Jameson's Fine Old

John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capenia. 18.00 All these are very fine and old. O has been stocked in Horgkong in wood for 20 Whisky in the Colony.

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A Fine Old Tom, White Capsule 7.20 B Fine Unaweetened, White Capable 7.20

RUM. Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island 6.00 Good Leeward Island .. \$2.50 per Gallon Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits

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Hearing's Cherry Cordial. Dr. Siegert's Angostura Chartreuse, Bitters, &c. PRICES ON APPLICATION. Hongkong, March 29, 1894.

MEMOS. FUR TU-MORKOV. Shipping. Daylight, Polyphemus leaves for Shang-10 a.m. - Dryfesdale leaves for Japan. Noon .- Peiyang leaves for Bhanghai. 4 p.m. - Myrmidon leaves for London.

Amusements 4.45 p.m.—Living Ohess Tournament on the Tennis Lawn at East Point. Miscellaneous.

List of Contributions to the Canton Insurance Office, Ltd., to be sent in before this date. Interest on and Bonds of Chinese Imperial Government Silver Loan of 1886 K

2.45 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association. BIRTH. At Shanghai, on the 23rd March, Mrs.

DEATH At Shanghai, on the 24th March, ELIZA Mozrac widow of the late Rev. M. T. Yates, D.D., aged 72 years.

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The China Mail.

HONGYONG, PRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1894.

A CORRESPONDENT SUGgests to us that our local scientists ought to be asked to take into consideration the subject of rain-making, in the futerest of this parched and thirsty colony. Our local scientists and we seem to have quite a crowd of them-might do worse than take this to avizandum (as they say in the Scottish Law Courts) with the view of turning it to practical account. In consequence, presumably, of the long period of dry weather we have experienced since 1894 came in, the supply of water at Tytam and Pokfulum has been pretty nearly exhausted. We say that the long drought is presumably the cause, as Mr Cooper, in his last report stated, by way of conwine 21.00 22.20 tradicting an ominous rumour, that there was no leakage worth mentioning at Tytam. It would be rash to say that Mr. Cooper quite succeeded in dispelling the fears which the rumour referred to had raised, for it is well known that the big dam still lies under suspicion. In reviewing the last Report of the Director of Public Works, we ventured to say that the scarcity of water at a certain had a great deal to say, might be due their size as to the leakiness of the former and an enormous waste of water

period of the year, on which Mr Cooper not so much to the inadequacy of Tytam and Poktulum reservoirs as regards by the Chinese community. While the auggestion of leakage at Tytam was pool-pooled, the Water Authority seemed to have been struck with the suggestion that our Chinese fellowcitizens were not quite so economical in We only guarantee our Wices and the use of water as they might be. Why they should leave their taps running all night is one of those things the reason for which it is very difficult to see. At all events, the Water Authority appears to have made an effort to check this tendency to extravagance among the Chinese. The water supply has again run short, however, and rain is greatly needed. Hence the suggestion by our correspondent. We have a feeling that he is not quite serious; but in any case, 'rain-making' has been regarded with a good deal of interest by a large number of scientists in various parts of the world during the past few years. A series of interesting experiments were made in 1892. The Apricultural Department of the United States Government went to the expense Our lowest priced. Whicky is of excellent of making a number of experiments in mality and of greater age than most brands Texas, and recently attempts to com-

any scientific experiment which affects only this colony and which concerns simply such a petty thing sa our water supply, but they might be more usefully employed in this way than they have been hitherto. Our correspondent illustrates, his auggestion by showing some person, who bears as strong & resemblance to Dr Doberck as to any pody eles, bursting a siond over Trium

Reservoir-which seems to us to be years, there being little sale for Irish pretty strong westigning evidence first the is something of a wag

MAYALTELEGRAMS (Via Southern Line.) SEAL FISHERIES LONDON, March 28.

Bir Charles Russell (Member for Hackney) will introduce a Bill into the House of Commons to legalise the award of commission dealing with the future killing of scale in the Behring Sea.

(From Manila Papers.)

THE SANTANDER DISASTER MADRID, March 22.

The works at the sunken hulk of the illfated steamer Machichaco-on board which the cargo of dynamite was exploded some time ago in the port of Santander-has with further disaster and While arrangements were made to blow up the hulk, an explosion took place with fatal results. Up to the preworkmen injured.

but the garrison have quelled the disturb-

GENERAL MARTINEZ CAMPOS. Mansin, March 23.

compensation offered to him in connection with the late Embassy. The General leaves DYNAMITE IN A CHURCH.

MADRID, March 23. While the sermon was being preached in a district church in Jaitien (France), a bomb was exploded which injured twentythree persons; three of them severely. stampeds followed, during which several

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accidents occurred.

The P. M. s. s. City of Rio de Janeiro, with the AMERICAN MATE of March's, left Yokohama on Tuesday, March 27, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Sunday, April 1.

The M. M. Co.'s steamship Yarra, with the FRENCH MAIL of 2nd March, left Singapore on Wednesday, Mar. 28, on or about Wednesday, April This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Jan. 24. The O. & O. a. a. Gaetic, with mails, &co.,

The Glen Line steamship Glenson, fro London and Straits, left Singapore on March 26, and may be expected here on or about April 1. The s. s. Ghazes left Singapore on Mar. 27,

Yokohama, on Mar. 20.

and may be expected here on or about The s. s. Wingsong, from Calcutta, and

Straits, left Singapore for this port. on March 27, and may be expected here;

Josa Sanches del Aguilar, clerk, was charged at the instance of Mr James Keddie, clerk, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, with at tempting to obtain \$30 from the Bank by means of a forged cheque, purporting to be signed by Capt. E. S. Combe, of the Army Service Corps. Detective-Sergeaut Green stated that the accused was handed over to him by the British Consul at Shanghai, on 22nd March. Mr Wodehouse, before whom the accused was brought, remanded; the case till Tuesday, 3rd April.

This morning, at the Magistracy, Mok have made inquiries regarding the Pang, an unemployed shop-assistant, was charged before Mr H. E. Wodehouse with stealing \$440, belonging to his misster, Ho Shing, shopkeeper, on 7th July, 1891. The rocused was sent out, with the money to pay bills, and disappeared. He was arrested upon returning to the He pleaded guilty, and stated that he lost a portion of the money in He was sent to prison for nine

A cricker match will be played to morrow between the Cricket Club and the Navy. The Club will be represented by chargeable to be those mentioned by Mr the following players :- C. M. Firth, J. A. Lowson, F. Maitland, E. Enskiel, T. Sercombe Smith, F. D. Markham, J. A. Strick, G. A. Woodcook, E. W. Maitland, Colonel Clarks, O.S.D., and A. N. Other. Play will commence at 11 o'clock. By the courtesy of Admiral Sir E. Fremantle, Captain McQuhae and the officers of H.M.S. Imperiouse, the band of the flagduring the afternoon.

YESTERDAY'S rehearsal of the Living tained. During the afternoon a probefore half-peat four o'clock, and a request is made that they keep their places. the progress of the game.

H. M. S. Severn, Captain Henderson, arrived from Saigon to-day.

THE Polo Match, Club v. Maxim Guo Volunteers, is unavoidable postponed. to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock. The final will be played at 4.45 p.m. on Monday.

THE Manager of the Hongkong Branch the Chartered Bank of India etc. forms us that a telegram has been ceived from the Head Office, this morning, stating that at the approaching meeting of shareholders the Directors of Bank will recommend a dividend for the half year ending 31st December last seven per cent per annum, free of income tax. It is proposed to carry to Reserve Fund £25,000, thue raising it to £275,000 and to carry forward to this half year £16,000 of undivided profits. The divi dend paid for the six months ending 30th fune last was at the rate of seven per cent,

sent it is reported that three divers and 7 Ar a general meeting of the Singapore workmen were killed, and twenty-seven Chember of Commerce, held on the 22nd inst., for the purpose of discussing the A riot broke out sgainst the authorities British Doller question, the following resoand the persons who undertook the work, lution, proposed by Mr Frizel and seconded by Mr Cuthbertson, was carried by a harder when they see a girl of the same age previous year, Import Duties, excluding majority of 17 votes to 8:- That the beating them. Committee of this Chamber be instructed to act in co-operation with the Hongkong that to teach boys and girls separately Chamber of Commerce in bringing before General Martinez Campos has refused all the Colonial Office through the Governmen the necessity of authorising the coinage of a British Dollar of the same weight and for Madrid in the beginning of April next. purity as the Mexican dollar, such coin to be declared legal tender in the Colony and in Hongkong concurrently with the present legal tender.' An amendment in the following terms had previously been put to the meeting :- 'That this Chamber, while urging the Government to press upon the Colonial Office the great importance of arriving at an early decision on the issues l submitted in the Currency Report of September last, refrain from taking any present steps to recommend the introduction of a British Dollar following the fortunes

THE N.-O. Daily News says: - One of those narrow-minded members of the literation when the Emperor has made a mistake in appointing to be a Censor, has recently at-5 p.m., and may be expected here memorialised the Throne against the construction of railways, that to Shanhaikman and Manchuria in particular. The egotist tried to impress upon the Emperor that rallways in China were not so important to the country at the present mument as the numanageable freshets of the Yongting left San Francisco for this port, via river between Tientsin, Peking and Paotingfu; hence he recommends that the Tis. 2,000,000 annually allowed for extending railways in Manchuria and eventually connecting with Canton and Yunnanfu, should be diverted to the conservation of the Yungting and other rivers which have been giving such a lot of trouble to the govern-By a telegram just received from our native correspondent at Peking, we hear that the Emperor has answered that both railways and river works are equally important to the country, and the proper Boards have been commanded to set apart a certain extra sum for the special conservalon of the above-named waterway.

EUROPEAN SCHOOL FOR KOWLOON

A SCHOOL TO BE ESTABLISHED. A public meeting of Kowloon residents was held last night in the Kowloon Hotel to hear the report of the Committee appointed at a previous meeting to consider all points connected with the establishment of a school at Kowloon for the children of European parents. There was a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen. Mr H. J. Holmes

The Chairman said-Since we had the pleasure of meeting here last, the Committee best means of establishing a school at Kowloop, and the result is that so far as the Committee can form an opinion and net.on behalf of the residents, they have accepted the offers made to them by Mr Gray subject to the sanction of the residents. Thes offers were considered very satisfactory. now call upon the Sourclary to read the resolution passed at the last meeting of the

Mr H. S. Cooke, Hon. Secretary, read the following resolution :- That Mr. Gray's offer as reported by Mr Bayer to establish a school at Kowloon exclusively for the children of European parents be accepted by the Committee in the name of the Kowloon residents, the school to be opened not later than 4th July and to be under the direction of Mr Gray and a sohoolmistress, the fees Gray verbally to Mr Sayer.

mistake in the minutes? Should it not be look no further a field than Hongkong to the obildren of British parents? Mr G. Wilson-Enropean was the word

shortly what was Mr Grav's offer.

for the children at the Kowloon School. The Chairman -I may mention that Mr gods hear us in Olympus, and repent.

The pieces and pawns, the pages and to have the honour of establishing the first desperade and fugitive who can escape from the figures for 1893 exhibiting a shortage in. English sphool at Kowleen, and it will be Chinese law. Pirates make it their rendez- of 811,000 pieces. Indeed, the only coumy endeavour to further the interests of the vons, and Scoret Societies their head- pricuous gain in the list of woven Costondividual duties they have to perform, so British children of Kowloon to the best of quarters—and the present condition of Goods is in Drille of all kinds, which exthat the game should be played without a my ability. We shall always study the street warfare, of chronic fends and forage coed the total importation of the previous There could not be a more suitable welfare of the children, and will endeavour | (on the part of what is in tingoverned China year by 111,800 pirous -a supply probably to make the school the best in Hangkong. the most orderly body of the community) not more than sufficient to make good the place or prettier for holding a chess tourns. It is a great inconvenience for the children would be amusing if it were not an extreme, stock lost, or to faill orders in hand, when mont, and arrangements have been made for to go over to Hougkong daily, as they have my dangerous state of things. It is not the Shanghai Cotton Mul was lestroyed by to do at present, and there are many difficult to imagine the smile which must fire on the 19th October last. It is satisother reasons why parents should illumine the features of a Chinese dispenser factory to note that Unclassed Cotton movements of the pieces can be ob- nearer bone. In avery some the solool in system and compared to the pieces can be ob- nearer bone. In avery some the solool in system and compared them.

> been approached yet on the aubject? power to deal with the aubject as they of thomb, these seem to be the only way traction of Ek. 71s 207,000, and the only thought fit, and a resolution was read to the of appealing to his better unture,

meeting, before you entered the room, in which it was indicated that an offer had of approaching the Government with a view to establish a public school Mr Cooke-Would you propose to have

drilling as a part of the curriculum ; Mr Gray-Physical drill is one of the accomplishments generally recognised in connection with the curriculum of school work. Another matter I should like to mention; The residents must clearly understand that if this school is opened it must certainly be a mixed school; the boys and girls, that is to say, will be in one room, but it does not follow necessarily that they will mit together. They will be in the same classes, but separate divisions. The Chairman -Could you not have classes in separate rooms ?

Mr Gray-And taught separately? The Chairman - Yes. Mr Gray-Well, we are not certain of the number who will attend the school, but the numbers at first must necessarily

The Chairman-But suppose you had Mr Gray-Well, if you divide fifty by saven, you have about seven children in Mr Sayer-I would anggest that it be

Mr Aitken-I agree with Mr Sayer on that point. How many schools are there at home where they are mixed in that way-boys and girls; and I think it gives 21,989,300, or Hk, Tis. 699,754 below that

Mr Gray-I will fall in with the desires of the parents, but you can understand would entail considerably more work. Mr King-I think boys and girls should be taught separately.

Several gentlemen expressed disapproval of this auggestion, and said they had no objection to their children being taught in Opium amount to Hk. Th. 2,011,024, s mixed school. Reference was again made to the de-

sirability of having a school for British children entirely. Mr Brown-Supposing a German family came here. I think it is much better to use the word European. Mr Cooke-A hard and fast line cannot

be drawn, and Mr Gray knows the views of the parents and is thoroughly in accord with these views. Mr Sayer-I think we should leave it at European. Mr Gray, for his own credit, will keep the school select. Mr G. Wilson-You must have a Com-

mittee to assist Mr Gray in the management of the School. Mr Holmes--- We might anggest improvements, but we should have no right to control the management of the school. Mr King-I think a small Committee should be appointed to assist Mr Gray in

the management of the school. Mr Brown-I don't see how we could do that, But it might be desirable to form a Committee of three to auggest things to Mr Gray : certainly not to control the Mr Cooke-I think it would be desirable

for Mr Gray himself to have some one to loft to his sole control. Mr King-But he must have some ad-

Mr Aitken-This is a civil matter. We don't have so much red tape in civil life as you have in Government affairs. Mr Brown-I propose that Mr Gray's terms be accepted, and that the entire control of the school be left to him; also, that the action of the Committee be approved. Mr R. Lang seconded.

vice. He cannot do everything himself.

Mr Aitken, Mr Sayer, Mr G. Wilson and Mr H. S. Cooke, be continued until the bility of silver utterly disorganising to the school is opened, when another public meet- Export trade. ing shall be called." Sergt.-Major Bullen seconded.

Mr King proposed a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman, the Committee and the Hon. Secretary for the valuable services they had rendered. Captain Palmer seconded.

The Chairman-I was just about to say hat all we had to do was to wish mos heartily that this scheme for the establishment of a school in Kowloon will succeed. I am sure we thank Mr King for the kind manner in which he has mentioned name and also the Committee and the Hon. Secretary, who has rendered most valuable assistance in bringing this matter to such a satisfactory conclusion.

Mr Brown-I think we should congratu late ourselves in having this important matter settled so quietly, so satisfactorily and so unanimously (Hear, hear, and

applause). This concluded the meeting.

HOW HONGKONG IS GOVERNED. The Government of Shanghai (writes -especially when compared with that of

The soothing thoughts that spring Out of human suffering."

Mr Aitken-But I think British was What an interesting and comfortable paral-

weather be at all favourable the tour- have no doubt Mr Gray would be pleased to the Chinese population in Hongkong ! The English and American Sheetings, place had become a veritable have of the aggregate, compare very unfavour-Mr Gray-1 will be very pleased indeed Adullam, a refuge and stronghold for every ably with those of the preceding 12 months.

THE FOREIGN TRADE OF CHINA perial Maritime Customs, on the foreign trade of China during the year 1893 :-

The total value of the Foreign com merce of China in 1893 shows a large statistical increase, but to avoid misapprehension it is necessary to state that this gain is apparent rather than real, and must not be accopted as evidence of material expansion in the interchange of products with Occidental or gold-currency countries, as the almormally increased value of Imports and Exports assigned to Hongkong is largely the result (a) of bringing the Returns treatment of the traffic between that Colony and China more in harmony with the Customs fiscal system, which socounts that trade as foreign, and (b) . the spormously enhanced silver value goods from the West showing diminished quantities. The Revenue is the surest indication of decline or development Chine's international trade, and the ceip's derived from Foreign Imports afford proof of a portentous diminution, with no commonsurate counter-balancing advance from the Export trade abroad, as the constant downward tendency of sterling exchange of the Shanghai tael, which dropped during the year from 3s, 101d. to 3s. 2d. quite demoralised all Export business. gross collection was Hk. Tla.

Opium, show a further decline, of Hk. Tla. 406.565, which is accounted for by a decreased importation of Foreign-goods consequent upon the enhanced price of commodities from gold standard countries. The Duty from Foreign Opium also exhibits a serious deficit. By deducting the sum of Hk. Tis. 164,239, paid by Native drug, from the total Opium revenue shown on page 18, the net receipts from Indian or a falling off of Hk. Tis. 114,103 on the collection of 1892. Likiu naturally shows a proportionate decline. Transit Does exhibit a diminution of Hk. Tist 60,000, owing to the reduced demand from the interior for Foreign goods. The receipts from Inward Transit Dues amounted to Hk. Th. 351,649, or less

by Hk. Tls. 77,877 thau in 1892 : Daes on produce outwards vielded Hir. Tis. 67.651 or an increase of Hk, Tis. 17,874. Export Duties on Foreign and domestic trade produced Hk. Tls. 8,403,743, or a gain of Hk Tis. 145.337-an inconsiderable sum in view of the increased expert of Tea and the alleged stimulating effect of low exchange on produce destined to gold-currency countries. The aggregate Coast Trade Duty (page 5) shows an advance of Hk. Tla. 17.911. The receipts from Tonnage Dues, Hk. Tis. 401.097, are the largest on record

POREIGN TRADE. The division of the Import trade in which Foreign gold capital is embarked -which should be kept distinct from the equally large Asiatic portion-paid for in silver-has been characterised by an unprecedented retrograde movement, which can only ascribed to the depreciation in the gold value of sliver causing an immense curta ment, at their greatly enhanced prices, in the demand for textiles, Opium, etc. deed, if this decline continues, it will o maccrue from the opening of new ports and

and exceed the figures of 1892 by Hk. Tis.

pletely pullify the advantages expected to great markets, such as Chungking, where the value of Foreign merchandise imported silver stimulated the Export trade abroad ous to the Import business, and the insta-

The dislocation in exchange brough about by according a fictitious value to the rupee and closing the India mints to the coinage of silver has resulted, as predicted. in a very serious falling off in the entire trade for India to China. The net importation of Opium for the year, as detailed on page 13 (although largely augmented by including, for the first time, in the Customs Roturns the Opium brought in junks from Singapore to Hainan, amounting to 1,10: piculal, has declined to the extent of 2,674 picula, or from 70.782 piculs in 1892 to 68,108 piouls during the year under review. The protection of the rupee enhanced the price of Opium so greatly that it placed Indian drug beyond the menns of a vast number of concumers, and this rise taking place concurrently with adequate supplies of Native Opium -which has so improved quality that, it is averied, smokers prefer it to Malwa-renders it almost hopeless for the imported drug to continue to compate successfully with the excellent and everimproving home-grown product. The trade in Indian Yavn has likewise undergone. sudden and sovere check, the quantity hav-Puck in the Mercury) is a very goodly ing receded from 1,251,400 piculs in 1892 dispensation. Our machinery may seem to 937,800 piculs, or a decrease of \$16,600 fearful and wonderful to a passer-by, but piculs. Raw Cotton from India has been the work it does is underiably satisfactory similarly affected, the year's supply being only 53,400 piculs, or just about half the Mr A. G. Aitken-Is there not a little other principalities and powers. We need quantity imported during the previous 1: months. The deficiency in these two dian staples alone represents a decrease the value of the Indo-Ohina Import trade of over Hk. Tis. 4,745,000. Reference to the list (on page 8) of Imports from Eurolel might be drawn between the paternal pean gold-currency countries discloses The Chairman—The word European was government of yonder Crown Colony and unparalleled falling off in all kinds used at the meeting. There are certain that of our own Model Settlement! And textile fabrics. In such staples as Grey matters rather open questions in this reso- the comparison would bring home to many Shirtings, which appreciated in price durlution. Perhaps some of the residents of us, I trow, the fact that not the least of ing 1893 as much as 36 per cent. per piece, would like to get more information; perhaps the things which go towards making our the supply falls short of that of the preship will perform a selection of music Mr Sayer would be good enough to state lives pleasant is the absence of a Govern- vious year by 2,158,000 picces; White ment House, and our blessed immunity Shirtings receded to the extent of 465,000 Mr Sayer I had a conversation with Mr from the competition wallah as a ruler in pieces, while the price advanced 35f per Gray, and he arranged that the fees charged our midst. Our freedom from the trammels cent.; and T-Oloths, by 552,000 piec.s-the generally in the Colony should be charged of red-tape and bureautracy generally is a total importation for the year, 1,587,000 thing to talk of with bated breath, lest the pieces, being less than in any period during the decade, the price of 7.1b. and 8.1b. Gray, who has come forward and offered to But what a curious commentary on our goods increasing 12 per cent. and 17 per start a school here, is present. If anyone boasted British rale and on our humanita- cent. respectively as compared with the would like to have further information I rish principle of justice is the condition of quotations in 1892. The statistics of

Rowloon will be advantageous to percute attained by the methods of his own benight advance by immense strides, the important respective for the methods of his own benight advance by immense strides, the important respective for the methods of his own benight advance by immense strides, the important respective for the methods of his own benight advance by immense strides, the important respective for the methods of his own benight advance by immense strides, the important respective for the methods of his own benight advance for the methods of his own benight advanced by the method by the methods of his own benight advanced by the methods of his own benight adva tion of 1893 abowing a rise in value of Hk. to £5,586 500, calculated at the average ex- tion Reserve has been increased to \$31,836. Apart from political copulderations altoget and contared same, and I am quite pre- sed country the later than double the change of each year. During the latter The Report presented to you is set a tree the presence of a mount thereof is, I take it that Tir. 650,400, or more than double the change of each year. During the latter The Report presented to you is set a tree than presence of a mount thereof is, I take it that Tir. 650,400, or more than double the change of each year. pared, anough to be the control of the played by the Band residents of Kowloon to start the solidal the bulwarks of our liberty were not intend. Bourse of the previous year. residence of more than that of trained like Sir Thomas Substitution of Sychological Silver that the importation of Sychological Sy and open to the great majority of Fire Instruction obvious and distinct substitute He is one functions in sugar and the equality of man, liberty and had during the great was 12,500 pieces; or The 20,687,500 pieces; or The 20,6 the leadership of Bandmaster Murphy | I shall be glad to the west them. i small of gird to grade the grade the grade well in their was; but apply them to John in 1890 only 8,300 places at pear in the Re- value of both Gold and Silver Ballion in Land was bandon and their was; but apply them to John in 1890 only 8,300 places at pear in the Re- value of both Gold and Silver Ballion in Land was a land of the Re- value of both Gold and Silver Ballion in Land was a land of the Re- value of both Gold and Silver Ballion in the Re- value of both Gold an Chinaman and you convert him into a Thug turns of the heading of wards and outwards. the actual net important him into a Thug turns of the ports. Under the heading of wards and outwards, the actual net important him into a Thug turns of the ports. the Chairman The Committee had full Ton heavier bamboo and justice by rule Woolleng the aggregate Total Committee had full Ton heavier bamboo and justice by rule

esh demand, and, excepting the noteworthy increase in Steel and Spelter, the average Net Imports, market value. . 151,362,819 | ceptional hat and dry summer have conimportation of Matals is maintained. both kinds of Kerosene Oil (American and Russian) the consumption has increased prodigionaly, the aggregate increase over 1892 amounting to 9,473,000 gallons, the share contributed by the American Oi being 4.836,000 gallons, and Russian 4,637,000 gallons. In this connexion should be noted that in 1894 Russian Oil will prohably be brought to China in hulk by the steamers of the 'Shell' line, and stored in tanks erected at Shanghai and other ports. Owing tons short crop in South Chins, due to floods in the province of Kwangtung, the importation of Duty-free Rice, chiefly Siamese, surpasses all previous demands, the consignments of the year aggregating the enormous total of 9,474,500 picula, or 5,526,800 picule over the importation of the previous year. The increase of Sugar is explained by all qualities shipped from Hongkong morefined, as well as the products of the refineries-being accounted Foreign in the Import table. Reference o the numerous commodities brought from silver-standard countries south of China indicates a general increase in quantity and value, the so-called depreciated silver in no way affecting the Asiatic division of China's Import trade. In connexion with the decline in the value of China's Foreign Import trade, it may not be out of place to remark that to the observer in the East it greater inspiration to the boys to pull up of 1892. Compared with the figures of the seems inexplicable that the gold-currency trade, should resolutely ignore the fact, so tres about the movements of the Governor clearly demonstrated by the decline in the of Hunan, T'au, who has been sent by the demand for Piece Goods, that to the Chinese government on a special tour of millions in China the tael or ounce of silver is still a tael of undiminished purchasing power, whether the sterling value be fis or | ed to give an account of their stewardship.

3s., and that so soon as the discredited tael fails to buy the same quantity of Foreign business with remarkable energy and degoods as heretofore, the consumer ceases to spatch. Several officials have been called be a customer, and will supply his own to the capital. Among them is our old wants by manufacturing textiles from friend, Kus, who was the host of the home-grown materials. Indications are Protestant missionaries for two weeks after not wanting that the erection of Cotton the memorable riot of 1886. He is now mills at ports extending from the Gull of district magistrate at Suifu and generally Tonkin to Chun king is contemplated, and liked. It is not likely he will lose his there is abundant evidence of great local office. Of the provincial officials, the activity in that direction. A nation whose Judge and Tressurer are both likely to inexhaustible supply of labourers excites have a hard time of it. The Judge, such slarm among Western peoples and Taotai here at Chungking, is a relative of governments is not likely to prove less the Vicerny and of Li Hung-chang, and formidable when it brings similar forces of the charge is favouritism. He has been cheap silver-paid skilled operatives into competition with the textile industries of the gold-wage earning classes of Europe and America, and the effect will be felt more acutely and cause greater consternation than the presence of Uhinese labour abroad whenever it comes into rivalry with the handicrafta of Occidental races.

very asyoury reputation either with for-The value of produce leaving China shows eigners or Chinese. a statistical increase of Hk, Tie, 14,048,000. of which sum Hongkong is credited with Hk. Tis. 7,588,000, largely represented in before, but he is thought to have escaped the Export table by goods classed under through the influence of his relative, the ' Sundries, Unenumerated, absorbed in the Vicaroy of the Chihli province. This time Eastern trade. To the total gain in the the outgoing Provincial Treasurer brought value of thipments abroad Tea has contri- heavy charges against him when he made buted Hk. Tis. 4,575,000 in excess of the his visit to Peking before going abroad, aggregate value, Hk. Tis. 25,983,000, for and it is thought that this tour of investi-1892, the Tea industry having rallied from gation is chirfly on his account. No doubt its waning condition by an increase of many of the charges are exaggerated. 198 150 piople in the total export of all. Stories are told of a general, with whom kinds detailed on page 15, to which figure the Vicercy was on bad terms, dying im-Black Tea contributed 88,977 picula, by mediately after leaving his table, causing larger purchases chiefly for the deploted saspicion of poisoning, and of the sadden Russian market : Green Tea, 47,797 picule, death of, a Tartar official off in Tibet, for the United States and India; and Brick | whose taking a way; was, to say the least, Tea, 59,249 picula, for which article the not unacceptable to the aforesaid official. demand for the Asiatic Russian market ap- His accounts, especially of the salt repears to be ever improving. It is reported venues, have been subjected to a vigorhas fallen off by over Ht. Tis. 1,250,000 as I pears to be ever improving. In the later off by over hauling. Immediately on arriving has the depreciation in the gold value of buyers of northern Black Tea was about 10 at the capital the leading banks through er cont. above that given in 1892, while -bich the Vicercy dealt were compelled to the average cost of Green Tea was, say, 5 hand over their accounts for inspection.

> White Silk during the early part of the king, smaller than report had made it, has year, added to the stagnation in the Ame. already been several days in the city. It rican market, the shipments of White Silk still seems uncertain whether a French fell short of the export of 1892 by 7.670 Consul will be stationed here. piculs. The demand for Yellow Silk, chiefly | Hass is busy inquiring into the trade prosfor India, on account of exchange with that pects here. Silk weaving is said to be country being favourable to exporters, especially in view. This might prove a augmented the total shipment from 9,032 success if taken hold of in the right mannicula in 1892 to 12,345 piculs for the sea- ner. son; but the export to Europe decreased. in spite of low exchange, owing, it is alleged, are to be seen. Roman Catholic statistics to the very inferior reeling, the result being | are not accessible, but they are said that the combined total export of Yellow have about 100 foreign priests in the proand White Silk fell short of the figures of vince. The Protestant missionaries, inthe previous year by 4,357 piculs. On the cluding both men and women, ulready other hand. Cocoons, Refuse Silk, and Silk number more than that. A dozen new Piece (foods show great development, yield. missionaries of one mission alone ing an increase aggre ating nearly Hk. Tis. | Baptist Missionary Union) arrived 1,500,000 in value, the last-named article Chungking soon after the Chinese New exceeding the 1892 shipments by 1,500 Year and most of them for points beyond. picule, valued at Ilk. Tts. 947.000. tion of the list of Exports affords evidence vain to get a house in Luchow, althoug of a conspicuous increase in the demand the China Inland Mission has been estafor Beans and Beancake, of which fertili- blished there for several years. Every sers 250,000 picula more than in 1892 were where there seems to be a determination sent to Japan, that country also increasing on the part of the officials to stem this its supply of Raw Cotton for its mills by incoming tide of missionaries and keep about 54,300 piouls in excess of the half it within present bounds, if possible, million odd picula drawn from China dur-2,000,000 to the Foreign Export trade. Cam- lishing themselves there it is too early to and Straw Braid have advanced significantly; new places being permanently occupied i also Nankeens, Chinese Olothing, Tobacco, several years. Vermicelli - almost wholly for the use of Chinese abroad. Wool, for which the seen quite a little building. The Roman turbed state of the American money market | dista have dedicated and occupied a High and the anticipated repeal of the daty in School building. that country. BE-BEFORTS.

The value of Foreign goods re-exported o Foreign countries has receded by Hk. 77s. 357.000 as compared with the statistics

Of ships employed in the Foreign trade tons, against 8,478 vessels, of 3,459,000 of the report and accounts, as presented, ing one of the few banking institutions that tons, in 1892; and in he home or coasting trade, 14.803 versels, of 11.050,000 tous, against 15,234 vecsels, of 11 240, 00 tons, in the previous year, exclusive of the inck traffic of Kawloon, Lieppa, Lungchow, Mongten, and Chang ing.

TREABURE. Gold has been shipped abroad in large quantities, but in view of the enhanced price of that commodity, the increase is not so remarkable. The recorded net shipments during the last five years are ap- Reserve and Reinsurance Funds it is believe ansteined a defeat. His Liberal opponent pended hereunder

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OHUNGKING. (N.-C. Daily News Correspondent.)

The greatest interest in this province at present, among the Chinese at least, investigation. Officials of all ranks, from district magistrates to the Viceroy, are call-Governor Tian seems to be attending to advanced more rapidly than his merits or Chinese custom will warrant. The Treasurer, whose predecessor, it will be remembered, was recently chosen for the post of Minister to England, is charged with being short with his accounts some two or three millions of taels. But the heaviest charges are laid at the door of the Vicercy himself. This official has many enemies and not a

Charges have been brought against h Mr Hatherley proposed 'That the pre- thus appear that, to the trade of China, the proposed thus appear that, to the trade of China, the proposed thus appear that, to the trade of China, the proposed the Holman of Mr Holman that the pregreat appreciation of gold has proved ruin- exchange, the laying-down cost in gold was, ordinary courtesies due a visiting official on the average, somewhat lower than in being refused by Governor T'an, who said 1892. In consequence of the reduced con- that he was about the Emperor's business

sumption of Chius Silk in Europe, and the and could not receive him. proportionately high prices demanded for The party of French guests at Chung-

Not a few signs of missionary activity Inspec. This mission has tried for a long time hear of one or two places being opened in ing the previous year, the value of these the Obengun region, but whether the miscommodities contributing nearly Hk. Tis. sionaries will succeed in permanently estab phor, Feathers, Oil, Medicines, Matting, state. If so, it will be the first instance of

Here in Churching the past year has demand from the United States has in- Catholics have built two large places of creased enormously year by year, has now worship; the Friends Mession have dedideclined by 43,834 picula below the 173,400 | cated a chapel and have two residences picul exported in 1892, owing to the dis- approaching completion; and the Metho-

> STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE CO. LD. The ginth ordinary general meeting of the Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. was held on ther 22nd institing the Company's offices, Singapore, Mr Th. Sohat, Chairman, is able to find time to act on the directorate The Chairman, in moving the adoption and the Bank of Australasis, the latter be

hands for some days past, and which, as recognition of what he and his company enstowery, will be taken as grad. As com- | have done to make nommonication between pared with the previous year the net pre- | the Colonies and the Mother Country swift millo lucomo is increased by \$60,000; the safe and agreeable. He had set for revenue from interest and rents is reduced Graenock since 1884 Bretas a Superent and by \$2,000; the losses incurred are four subsequently as a Uniquist when he found times the amount in 1892 and expenses have | bimself munble to endorse let Gladstone also thoroused by pourly \$50,000. The little policy At the last General Election sterling assets £32,000 and in the several it was thought for a day of see that the he ed that full provision has been made for in fact, had been proclaimed the victor, bu Hk Tis. 1,625,600 5,041,800 3,701,000 7,833,000 7,450,000 Any depreciation in mortgages and Real a blunder of some electoral milicial was Equal & 275,025 1,313,728 200,820 1,008,775 1,295,157 Retate investments and for unexpired risks.) Subsequently discovered, in re-count was These figures show that sluring the period in mining the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the return of Significant show that sluring the period in mining the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the return of Significant show that sluring the period in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the return of Significant show that sluring the period in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the return of Significant shows the state of the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the return of Significant shows that sluring the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it resulted in the relative dollar and sterling ordered; and it is not also the relative dollar and sterling ordered at the resulted dollar and sterling ordered at the relative dollar and sterling ordered at the resulted at the resulted dollar and sterling ordered at the resulted at the resulted at the resulted at the resulted at the

than in the preceding years are Long Ells, value of the Foreign Import and Export and four times the number recorded i duil trade, prolonged strikes and an extributed to make a record of fire loaves such as has never before been equalied. A thorough inspection has been made of the Australian and New Zealand business, and heavy expenses have been industed in extending our field of operations and placing our London and New Zealand branches on a more permanent and satisfactory basis. The Board might have been jostified in carrying a large portion of this sam to a suspense account spreading the payment over a period of three or more years, but they deemed it wiser policy to write off the whole amount. exceeding £5,000, to 1893 expenses. It is confidently expected that the Company will reap both immediate and inture benefit from this expenditure, and as 1894 has opened anapiciously for the Company, 1893 may be looked back upon as one of the lean years which must happen to Fire Insurance Companies, as to all other commercial enterprises. I regret that following the policy 5.694,000 of providing ample reserve funds for all con-tingencies hitherto pursued by the Board, 9.352,412 no dividend can be recommended, but the financial position is thereby strengthened and should therefore be satisfactory to policy holders and shareholders alike. If hay shareholder has any question to ask I am prepared to the best of my ability to

answer any question which may be put! Mr Gentle asked if the Chairman could give any explanation of why the rate of exchange had been taken at 2/6. That rate had not been in Singapore since August get, and he very much feared it would not be seen again in the immediate future. The Chairman explained that was the average rate of exchange for 1893 and they had taken it at that rate so as not to show the Company in ten unfavourable a light. It was to be remembered, however, that they had investments in gold to the extent of

£32,000, and if they had put that on the accounts at the lower exchange, they would only have swelled their assets. Mr Gentle further asked whether the direcfors would be prepared to make any statement about the agency business. - It was perfeetly obvious from the figures that they had incurred heavy losses through their agency business, and though the promis in 1893 exceeded those in 1892 by \$63,000, agency charges, commission, &c., in 1893 exceeded those of 1892 by \$50,000. He asked whether if the other shareholders agreed with him; whether the directors would be repared to give, an undertaking that the

agency business should be contracted as The Chairman, in reply, said that in mening new agencies in Australia they had incurred heavy charges, which would not be repeated and which as he had previously pointed out, might very property have been charged to suspense morount. He was pretty sure, however, that their spendes would afterwards prove to be remunerative to them, but should the directors had is the interests of shareholders it was desirable that business should be cortailed, they could rest assured that it should be done, X, Dan

Mr Stiefel seconded the adoption of the report and accounts, and the motion was carried unanimously. On the motion of Mr Neave, sebouded by Mr Behr, it was decided that Mr. Lyali and

for the ensuing year on the same remanera-This concluded the business of the meeting THE COLONIAL PARTY. Although the hop, Member for Greenock, and the presiding genius of that great and enterprising Corporation, the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, has been associated with the Colonial Party almost from its inception, he did not take any prominent part in its proceedings until the meeting of last Thursday, when he introduced a deputation from the Straits Settlements Association, and elucidated all the details of the grievance they had against the Chancellor of the Exchenner for grabbing £100.000 per annum out of their local revenues, instead of the 200.000 greed upon as their military contribu tion. If Sir Thomas Sutberland had have set foot on Colonial soil hel would he thoroughly eligible for admission to the Colonial Party by virtue of his chairmanship of the P. and O. Company, whose fleet of magnificent steamers constitutes one of the most substantial connecting inks between the Mother Country. India China. the Australian Colonies and the Straits Settlements. But Sir Thomas has seen, and is intimately accusinted with. some big slices of Greater Britain. He point of fact, was a Coloniat before he was well out of his teens, for he was a vary young man indeed when he first went on to Chica as an official of the company of which he is now the chairman of directors. It is not given to many men to begin on the lowest rung of the ladder and ascend to the very highest. That, in a sentence is a summary of the career of Sir Thomas Sutherland. He rose by degrees outil he China and Japan; where his sprewdness

became the chief agent of the P. & O. in sagacity, foresight, and first-class business capacity established the company on solid basis of prosperity, and made in the power that it is to-day in that goarter of the world. Hongkong was his headquarters, and there Sir Thomas served his political apprenticeship as member of the Legislative Council of the Colony, one of the three mofficial members of that body. There, too. he to the Hongkoug and Shanghai Banking Corporation. The success he schieved China and Javan singled him out as the est possible choice for the general direction of the company's affairs from the headoffice in London, and so he returned to England to become first a director and afterwards the chairman of this prest maritime enterprise. In addition to anpervising the affairs of the Pand O. he of the Suez Canal Company, the Cily Bank and Dalance Cheet which has been in your received his knighthood three years ago in

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